## **2004 ELECTION**STATE REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT 12



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Born in Honolulu in 1959, Kyle Yamashita moved to Maui with his wife Karen in 1990. Married for twenty years they have two sons, Dustin, age 17, and Tyler, age 11.

Kyle is the General Manager of the SuperStop stores and gas stations and one of the original partners beginning this business on Maui in 1990. His experience with business motivated him to help organize and be president of the Ohana Savers Group, an organization to help promote small, Maui based businesses. Ohana Savers now has over 40,000 members.

Kyle Yamashita graduated from Aiea High School and attended Leeward Community College before entering his life long ambition of management and owning his own business. Currently for the past three sessions he has been a Legislative Assistant to State Representative Bob Nakasone.

Kyle is a Board Member of the King Kekaulike High School PTSA, King Kekaulike School Community Based Management member and a member of the Pukalani Elementary School PTA, schools that his children attend. He is also Scoutmaster of Pukalani Troop 75, which he reactivated in 1998. His work with the Boy Scouts earned him East Maui Scoutmaster of the Year awards for both years 2000 and 2001. He was one of four Scoutmasters to lead a troop of 36 Maui scouts to the National Jamboree in Virginia in 2001 and is currently serving as a 2005 National Jamboree Committee Member. Kyle is also a member of the Rotary Club of Upcountry Maui and the Kula Community Association.